# EXHIBIT 18

## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

STATE OF OKLAHOMA, et al.	)	
Plaintiffs,	)	
vs.	)	05-CV-0329 TCK-SAJ
TYSON FOODS, INC., et al.,	)	
Defendants.	)	

# TYSON FOODS, INC.'S SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TO PLAINTIFF'S FIRST SET OF INTERROGATORIES

COMES NOW Defendant TYSON FOODS, INC. (hereinafter referred to as "Defendant" or "Tyson Foods"), and for its Supplemental Response to Plaintiffs' First Set of Interrogatories states as follows:

#### **GENERAL OBJECTIONS**

- 1. Each of the following responses is made without waiving any objections

  Defendant may have with respect to the subsequent use of these answers or any documents

  identified in response to these requests.
- Tyson Foods objects to, and does not agree to, or agree to subject itself to, the arbitrary and extraordinary "definitions" ascribed by the Plaintiff to certain terms as set for forth in its First Set of Interrogatories. Tyson Foods instead ascribes to the ordinary, every day and reasonably, commonly understood meanings which apply to such terms, and also which comply with the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. Tyson Foods objects to the definitions to the extent they assume facts not in evidence or related to facts or contentions in dispute in the action. Tyson Foods also specifically objects to the Plaintiff's definition of "Defendant" as it is overly

broad and includes within its scope "Contract Growers." Tyson Foods submits these answers and responses for itself and not for any other person or entity.

- 3. Tyson Foods specifically reserves the following: (1) all questions and objections as to the competency, relevance, materiality and admissibility of any documents identified in response to these requests; (2) the right to object to the use of these responses or information disclosed herein in any hearing in this proceeding or in any subsequent suit or proceeding; (3) the right to object to other discovery procedures involving or relating to these responses or information disclosed herein; and (4) the right, at any time, upon proper showing, to revise, correct or clarify any of the responses set forth herein.
- 4. Tyson Foods objects to any purported requirements of Plaintiff's discovery requests that are beyond the requirements of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.
- 5. Tyson Foods objects to any discovery request that seeks a response, document, information or items covered by the attorney-client privilege, the "work product" doctrine and/or any matters prepared in anticipation of litigation or for trial by or for Tyson Foods or its agents.
- Tyson Foods objects to any discovery request that seeks a response that would disclose mental impressions, conclusions, opinions or legal theories of any representative of or attorney for Tyson Foods concerning this lawsuit.
- 7. Tyson Foods also incorporates as though fully restated herein all objections and limitations to responses made by every other defendant to the corresponding interrogatories.

These General Objections are incorporated in Tyson Foods's responses as if specifically set forth therein. Stating specific objections to a particular discovery request does not in any way waive the General Objections.

#### **INITIAL STATEMENT**

The following responses and objections are based upon facts now known. Tyson Foods has not yet completed discovery in this matter and therefore will supplement these responses and objections to the extent required by the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

#### INTERROGATORIES

<u>INTERROGATORY NO. 1</u>: For each of your poultry growing operations in the IRW since 1952, please provide the following information:

- a. name and physical location of the operation;
- b. dates of operation;
- c. type of operation (breeder, broiler, layer, etc.);
- d. number of birds (aggregated annually) at each location; and,
- e. name of the owner and operator.

RESPONSE TO INTERROGATORY NO. 1: Tyson Foods objects to Interrogatory No. 1 as it is overly broad in scope and time and, therefore, overly burdensome. Tyson Foods does not possess information sufficient to answer Interrogatory No. 1 as it seeks information extending back to 1952. Tyson Foods further objects to the time period of Interrogatory No. 1 as it seeks information that is neither relevant to Plaintiff's claims nor is Interrogatory No. 1 likely to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objections and its General Objections, Tyson Foods states that it has not contracted with any poultry growing operations since 2002. Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objections and its General Objections, Tyson Foods states that its subsidiary Tyson Breeders, Inc. has contracted with poultry growing operations, and responds with information regarding poultry growing operations with which Tyson Breeders, Inc. has contracted for the rearing of poultry in

the IRW from 2002 to the present:

- a. See attached chart.
- b. Tyson Foods states that neither it nor its subsidiary Tyson Breeders, Inc. has sufficient information to answer subpart (b) completely. Flock transfer registers and grower contracts contain information of the dates in which such poultry growing operations were in operation. Grower contracts were produced herein on June 15, 2006, and additional grower contracts will be produced as they are identified. Example of grower contracts are located at Bates numbers TSN20641SOK TSN20645SOK and TSN22675SOK TSN22680SOK. Flock transfer registers will be produced as they are identified. An example of a flock transfer register is attached hereto and Bates numbered TSN87430SOK TSN87431SOK.
- c. See attached chart.
- d. Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 33(d), see flock transfer registers, which will be produced as they are identified.
- e. See attached chart.

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Johnny Lor 2	Johnny Lor	21219 John Elrod Drive	Siloam Springs	АВ	72761 Pullet	
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Bear Inc.	Darrell Walker	15078 Cincinatti Creek Road	Siloam Springs	AR	72761 Pullet	
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	Harold Walker	15078 Cincinatti Creek Road	Siloam Springs	AR	72761 Pullet	
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	Aubrey and Clara Mae					
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	Wesley Sigmon		Springdale	AB	72762 Hen	
	Jamie Lewis		Springdale	AB	72762 Hen	
	Coy Barrlett	5612 W. Wheeler Road	Fayetteville	AB	72703 Hen	
- 1	Charles Hughes	12884 Little Road WC 15	Lincoln	AR	72744 Hen	
H & H Hodge Farm Inc.	Ray Hodge	19008 Strawberry Plant Road	Fayetteville	AB	72701 Hen	
	Jackie Sparkman	16750 E. Breeder Road	Prairie Grove	AR	72753 Hen	
	Arlis Pennel	16902 Greasy Valley	Canehill	AB	72717 Hen	
	Va Vang	20403 Shady Grove Road	Gentry	AB	72734 Hen	
	Shane Tawr	10768 Elms Road	Summers	AB	72769 Hen	
Harmon Hen Farm	John LaHue	2826 Gray Avenue	Springdale	AH	72762 Hen	
P.X.M. Farm	Por Moua	16782 Robinson Road	Siloam Springs	AB	72761 Hen	
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Illinois Chapel	Michael Anderson	10886 Gifford Road	Prairie Grove	AB	72753 Hen	
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### TYSON OF SPRINGDALE, AR Flock Transfer Register

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